

# THE YAZOO CITY WHIG AND POLITICAL REGISTER.

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PRINTED AND PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY.  
BY J. A. STEVENS,  
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On Main Street, opposite Mr. Hamer's, at the north end of the Manchester Hall.

**TERMS.**—The Whig will be furnished to subscribers at \$5 00 per annum in advance.

Advertisers will be inserted at the rate of \$1 00 per square for the first insertion, and 50 cents for each week thereafter—ten lines or less, constituting a square. The number of insertions required, must be marked on the margin of the manuscript, or they will be inserted till full, and charged accordingly. Advertisements from individuals must be accompanied with the name of good reference in town. Advertising candidates for office will be \$10 00 for county offices, \$10 00 for State offices—in advance.

**Weekly Advertising.**—For fifty lines or less, payable at pleasure \$2 00. No more will be taken than one year, and payable half yearly in advance.

The privilege of annual advertising is limited to their own immediate business; and all advertisements for the benefit of other persons, sent in by them must be paid for by the square.

**Professional Advertisements.**—For 10 lines or less, not alterable, 3 months, \$12 00. " do " do " do " do " do " 20 " " do " do " do " 12 " do " 30 "

As the above rates are the same as those established in New Orleans, Jackson, Grand Gulf and elsewhere in this State, no deduction will be made from them on account of distance.

**ALL JOB WORK MUST BE PAID FOR ON DELIVERY.**

Letters on business must be post paid, or they will not be taken out of the Post Office.

## To the Public.

The rights of editors and publishers of papers have been too long neglected. Justice will never be done unless themselves assert their rights and enforce the most rigid rules, which in the end will be found alike salutary to the public and beneficial to those engaged in the press. Publishers of papers have been so long imposed upon by the community at large, that they are considered to some extent a degraded class of beings, when in fact there is no vocation in life so honorable, deserving of so high consideration, prudence, and much good, a class which exerts so powerful an influence. It is known to be of service for the editor of a newspaper, publisher to consider their demands as the last to be paid—debts for which there is attached no moral obligation, and which they can refuse to pay with justice and honor; hence, it is incumbent upon the conductors of the press to assert their own rights, and resolve, severally and jointly, to bring all *patrons* of newspapers under the same obligations that attach to other contracts, or always remain in poverty and want, with thousands due them from the most solvent men in the country.

We call upon all editors and publishers of papers who approve of the following rules, to endorse them by their signatures—place them at the head of their papers, and strictly adhere to them.

1st. No subscription received without payment in advance.

2d. No subscription received for less than six months.

3d. Advance payment will be required from all eminent advertisers.

4th. To announce no man for any office, either State or County, without the advance payment of ten dollars.

5th. Political circulars charged as advertisements and payment required in advance.

6th. All advertisements of a personal alteration will be charged double and payment required in advance.

7th. Election tickets will not be printed without order, nor delivered to any person without payment.

8th. All subscribers, without respect to persons who are delinquents, on the first of October, will be stricken from the list, and their accounts put in suit.

The above rules, we, the undersigned, pledge ourselves to abide by.

**JAMES A. STEVENS,**  
Editor and Proprietor of the Yazoo City Whig.  
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Editor of the Natchez Courier.  
BESANCON & HALIDAY.

Publisher of the Mississippi Free Trader.  
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Publisher of the Democratic Union.

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Proprietor of the Independent Journal.

June 13, 1839.

**Q. D. GIBBS,**  
Attorney and Counsellor.

Yazoo City, Mississippi.

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Walton, Walker & Co., N. Orleans.

Washington Farro, Natchez.

McKibben & Robinson, Memphis.

Thomas J. Read & Son, Louisville.

Foster & Fogg, Nashville.

Riggs & Co., Philadelphia.

Andrew Rankin & Co., Newark.

Bailey, Ward & Co., New York.

January 3, 1840.

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PRACTICE their profession in conjunction

(at) Office on Main Street, in the North

Court Room of the Manchester Hall.

Yazoo City, Nov. 20, 1839.

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John Battal & Son, Mississippi.

G. H. Hamer, at Yazoo City.

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**A. W. G. & J. W. DAVIS**

LAWYERS

OFFICE AT GREENSBOROUGH, MS.

Will practice in the several Courts of the 2d

Judicial District for this state. Nov. 23—20

1840.

**BLANK DEEDS**

For sale at this Office.

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Briggs, Locust & Co. To May Term, 1840.

J. Lawrence & Co. To May Term, 1840.

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